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Enjoy  
Memorial Day,  
Monday, May 27!

*The Sun will be closed!  
Deadline will be Friday,  
May 24.*

## News Briefs

### Retirement party set

Colonel Frank Fogelman with the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office is retiring after 34 years in law enforcement.

A retirement party is planned for June 7 at the South Florida Fairgrounds in Building 10, beginning at 6:30 p.m. with cash bar and dinner and a program at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$16.

Col. Fogelman worked at the Belle Glade substation for a number of years and local residents interested in attending can call Nancy Browder at the Belle Glade substation at 996-1683 for ticket information.

### Barbecue offered by Leadership Glades

Leadership Glades, Class of 1996, is sponsoring an All American Lunch Time Barbecue on Friday, May 31 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The event will be at the Pavilion at the Belle Glade Marina and tickets are \$5 each. To purchase advance tickets, stop by or call the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce at 996-2745.

### Music Evangelist Michael Combs to be in concert

The First Baptist Church of Pahokee will host Music Evangelist Michael Combs on Sunday, May 26 at the church. Rev. Combs will host a concert at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. and admission is free. The church is located at 225 Bacom Point Road, Pahokee. For more information, call 924-7132.

### Scholarships available

Applications for Minority/Disadvantaged Scholarships Grants are being offered by the Florida Check Cashers Association, Inc.

For more information, contact the district office of Representative Addie L. Green at 407-837-5252 or 837-5253.

### Memorial Day BBQ set

A Memorial Day Weekend barbecue is being offered by American Legion, Post 20, Belle Glade. Legion members will be offering chicken dinners from noon until they sell out on Sunday, May 26, and music will be provided by "The Country Rogues" from 2 p.m. until "Take out is available and the donation is \$6. Everyone is invited to attend.

### Splash Down in Pahokee

The City of Pahokee Parks and Recreation Department and WEDR (99 JAMZ) will be hosting a Splash Down at the Pahokee Marina on May 26 from 2 to 7 p.m. There will be a host of entertainment and music will be provided by the Miami Boy's (Pure Funk DJ's). All visitors interested in taking part in this event will be charged a \$25 booth fee in advance or \$35 per booth on the day of the event.

For further information call the Pahokee Parks and Recreation Department at 994-2976.

## Hometown hero chosen to carry Olympic torch

*Dolly Hand prepares for July event*

By Brenda Bunting  
Editor

While we often think of world leaders, movie stars and sports figures as "heroes" we rarely think about the everyday heroes who live in our community. But Belle Glade has its own "Community Hero" and she will represent our area and our country in July.

Francis "Dolly" Hand has been selected by the Atlanta Committee for the Olympic Games to carry the Olympic flame in the 1996 Olympic Torch Relay. One of only 77 "Community Heroes" in Palm Beach County, Mrs. Hand will carry the torch on July 5 or 6.

Extraordinary citizens - Community Heroes - were selected to carry the sacred Olympic flame based on their outstanding contributions and service to others and their community. Mrs. Hand was chosen after her name was submitted in January by Renee Tyler of Belle Glade. Many names from the Palm Beach area were submitted, according to Chere Brodi, director of Communications for United Way, the agency handling the selection. Mrs. Hand was chosen for her "outstanding volunteer work, for serving as a community leader, a role model and mentor, for her generosity and acts of kindness and her extraordinary accomplishments."

In her letter of nomination, Mrs. Tyler said "Our small western community has been blessed to have such a generous, warm and caring individual residing here. Her contributions are numerous and she deserves a GOLD medal for all of her goodwill and kind deeds." She ends her letter of recommendation by saying, "A smile comes across one face when we mention Dolly Hand."

"I'm tremendously honored," says Mrs. Hand. "When I received the letter, I was speechless. I'm proud of just living in Belle Glade. I don't feel that I do anything that others also don't."

Mrs. Hand will walk the torch approximately one kilometer (.62 miles) after the flame is lit in her torch somewhere along the route in West Palm Beach. The Olympic committee will provide her with a uniform consisting of shorts, shirt, and socks, and she will wear tennis shoes.

Now, the training begins. Come rain or 110 degree weather, the ceremony will continue and Mrs. Hand says she wants to be prepared. The Palm Beach County native stays in shape by walking several times a week, but says she will now practice walking while carrying the torch at eye level or above, a 3 and a half pound weight. That's the weight of the Olympic Torch which started making its way across the USA on April 27. The 84-day, 15,000-mile trek started in Los Angeles and the flame is transferred from torch to torch until it arrives in Atlanta for the Centennial Olympic Games on July 19.

The history of the torch began in ancient Greece when a sacred truce was called so athletes could peacefully compete at the Olympic Games. Runners, called "heralds of peace" travelled Greece proclaiming the beginning of the truce and issuing the clarion call to the games. The custom was revived in 1936, adding the symbolism of a torch lit in Olympia, Greece by the rays of the sun. The torch relay has preceded every Olympic Games since then.

The 1996 Olympic Torch relay will travel through 42 states plus Washington, DC, within a two-hour driving distance of 90 percent of the U.S. population. It will visit 29 state capitals, and (Continued on Page 3)



**PROM PROMISE...** Pictured above are students from Glades Central Community High School who signed a Prom Promise contract, agreeing to stay sober during prom. Also on May 21, Deputy Joe Kortz gave a speech regarding the consequences of drinking and driving; Nationwide workers, Becky, Christine, and Rusben, volunteered their time and help; and Glades Central's SADD Club President Clarisena Myrick, Hwy Crawford, Anisha Henry, Sharon Roundtree, and sponsors- Mrs. Keller and Mrs. Schultz helped students organize and sign contracts.

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## Healthfirst

By Paula Swaford, R.N.

All of us, young or old, have at one time (or more) forgotten to do the simplest of common tasks, i.e. turning off the oven, not locking the door or the opposite (locking the keys in the car), driving off on an errand and suddenly forgetting the reason or destination of your journey. If any of you are reading as you read this, I'm sure you've had similar experiences. Anyone can experience transient memory lapses and it does not indicate that you have a more serious problem, such as Alzheimer's disease, although your family may be convinced that you have it.

Alzheimer's is a serious, chronic, progressive neurological disorder that affects the parts of the brain that control thought, memory, language and personality. It is also the most common cause of dementia, a major form of mental impairment. Currently in the U.S., it is estimated that 4 million people may have Alzheimer's. By the year 2000, it is projected that as many as 8 million individuals may have this debilitating disorder. Although younger persons may also develop Alzheimer's, the disease usually occurs after age 65. The risk of having this disorder increases steadily with age. It is NOT, however, a normal part of aging. Alzheimer's causes abnormal changes to the nerve cells in



the brain. They are identified as plaques and tangles in an autopsy — the only definitive clinical test for this disease.

The onset of this disorder is gradual. Common symptoms are forgetfulness, confusion and disorientation (such as not knowing where you are or not being able to find the right route home). As the disease progresses, these symptoms interfere with daily activities causing great frustration, language problems and personality changes. The individual may be unable to follow directions, gets lost easily, forgets entire events and develops mood swings. Many reversible and treatable conditions may "mimic" the symptoms associated with Alzheimer's disease. These conditions include depression, drug side effects, poor nutrition and changes in

metabolism. Therefore, it is crucial to consult your physician if you are concerned about yourself or a loved one. Keep a record of when the problems or personality changes first started and how long they have been occurring. Your doctor will need to know these important dates for your loved one's medical history. If you contact your local chapter of the National Alzheimer's Association, they can give you valuable information, assistance and knowledge of support groups available.

Although Alzheimer's is a truly debilitating disease to the person affected, I believe it is much more traumatic, both physically & mentally, to the families assigned the never-ending task of caring for their loved ones. It's important to give the family the support and hope they need. There are more than 16 different drugs that are being studied for use with Alzheimer's patients. Just because you are forgetful, doesn't mean you are afflicted with Alzheimer's.

For more information you can contact The Alzheimer's Disease Education & Referral Center at 1-800-438-4380 or The National Alzheimer's Association/Help Line at 1-800-272-3900.

Until next time...stay informed and stay healthy.



The Larry Royal Family Businesses were named "Chamber Members of the Month" for the month of May by the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce. Left to right are Alta Lee Barber, Director of Personnel Payroll and Chamber Executive Director Leigh Woodham.

## Be prepared for hurricane season

Kim Reiniger is a waitress at a family restaurant in Jupiter. Her customers tell her lots of stories as she takes their food order. Stories about family fun, about vacations and about school.

But, in August of 1992, Kim started hearing different stories from her customers—stories about life and death and hurricanes. Kim was listening to the survivors of Hurricane Andrew.

"The stories were heart wrenching," she said. "They said the hurricanes sounded like trains. They were holding their doors, you know so the wind wouldn't blow them down. And they were there for seven hours."

Like all of us, Kim had seen the pictures from Homestead, Cutler Ridge and Country Walk. And, like all of us, she was shocked at what she saw. But, what she heard was even worse.

"My wife listen to a lot of people as they were leaving the destruction of Andrew," said Kim's husband, Duane. "She actually talked with them as soon as 12 hours after the Hurricane hit."

"The stories really hit home for Kim and Duane who were planning to refurbish their Jupiter



home. "When we started remodeling our home we wanted to design it with the idea that we wanted to survive a hurricane," said Duane. "We had seen Andrew and had seen the destruction it had caused."

The Reiniger's decided that what happened in Homestead was not going to happen to them. "We decided we should go ahead and face the trouble of building a room that we can survive through a hurricane like Andrew," said Kim.

It's not a big room, it's eleven feet long and five feet wide but it is a very solid room. "We built it out of solid concrete," said Duane. "We built it with metal doors whose frames were poured into the concrete."

Inside, it's stocked with a 40-gallon fresh water tank, plenty of canned foods and all the hurricane supplies the Reiniger's will ever need. "Our family of four could live in there, with the fresh water and the dry goods we'll have all stored in there," said Kim.

This safe room will protect the family during the storm and serve as their home if their house is destroyed. "It's bolted down from the inside so that we can lock ourselves in at night and not worry about having anybody coming to rob us or whatever we might have left," said Duane.

Chances are, however, that the Reiniger's house will make it through just about any storm. Besides shutters on every window, Duane had added extra bracing for his roof. "I talked to a lot of building inspectors about making my home safe from a hurricane," he said. "I used the ideas they suggested in designing our own house."

Experience is often the best form of education. While the Reiniger's have never experienced a hurricane, Kim and Duane have used the experience of others to prepare for any size storm. The next time a hurricane threatens Jupiter the Reiniger's will be ready.

Kim says she'll never forget the stories she heard from the survivors of Hurricane Andrew. But, thanks to them, she knows her hurricane story will have a happy ending.

Mike Lyons is the weatherman for WPBF, Channel 25.

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Beach Community College and the Thurston Consulting Group, Inc. will run from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Participants are invited to bring their lunch and enjoy while they learn. For more information, call Jean Anderson at PBCC, 992-6175.

#### Fun Day planned

Anyone who attended Glades Central Community High School during the years 1970 through 1996 are invited to a Fun Day on July 13 at 11 a.m. The classes of 1990 and 1987 are sponsoring the event. To participate contact Michael Tyler at 996-9407, Quanda Jasper at 996-6667, or Susie Q at 992-9324, by May 31.

#### Gospel Sing at Miracle Temple Ministries

Miracle Temple Ministries will be hosting a gospel sing on Friday, May 31 at 7:30 p.m.

Many local singers will be participating and Pastor Alvin Nichols invites the public to attend. The church is located at 104 S.W. 16th Street, Belle

Glades.

**Western Chamber Mixer**  
Four chambers, the Belle Glade, Central, Pahokee, and Palms West, will sponsor a Western Chamber Mixer on Thursday, May 30, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the new RhineStone's in Royal Palm Beach.

There will be a DJ to crank up the tunes, a dance instructor and food. Cost is \$5 per person. Call the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce at 996-2745 to RSVP.

#### New AA group forms

The New Hope Group, a new Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, will be held each Sunday at 7 p.m. at the New Hope Family Center, 7450 State Road 15, U.S. 441, Pahokee.

Open discussion is encouraged and refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome to attend.

For information and/or transportation, call Milagros at 942-7947, or Harry at 305-567-9125.

**Support group offered**  
The Alzheimer's Association is

Softball league to start  
The City of Belle Glade Recreation Department is sponsoring a Men's Summer Softball League. Games are set to start on June 3. Any sponsor or team interested in participating should contact the recreation department at 996-0100 for more information.

**Free net training**  
Introductory computer network training developed especially for Belle Glade area health and social services is being offered June 13 at Palm Beach Community College in the library.

The workshop is being hosted by the Glades Community Development Corp., Palm

## Glades residents can cheer her on...

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boat and plane.

"Up until two weeks before the event, Mrs. Hand said she will not know the exact day (whether it will be July 5 or 6) or the exact stretch of highway she will be walking. She will have an official Olympic escort and a caravan will follow. Local residents who wish to attend the event will not be allowed to walk the route but can cheer Mrs. Hand along the route.

"I'm really thrilled she was selected," said Mrs. Tyler. "We're going to be cheering her on and we hope many others from the Glades will do so too."

Long time friend and former mayor, Tom Altman said he thought Dolly Hand was the perfect person to carry the Olympic flame for our county and this country. "Dolly Hand is the embodiment of everything that's good about the United States. To have her carrying the torch in our community is fantastic," he said.

Dolly Hand was the first, and youngest woman graduate law student of Stetson University in 1949. Her community involvement goes back many years. She served on the Palm Beach Junior College Glades Center Steering Committee that was instrumental in bringing the community college to the Glades.

She served as chairman for the 50th Anniversary of the City of Belle Glade in 1979. This group was responsible for the L. E. Will Museum and the commemorative bronze statue honoring the victims of the 1928 hurricane. She continues to serve on the Executive Board of the Black Gold Jubilee, the annual festival that evolved from the Bi-centennial celebration. She was instrumental in bringing a cultural arts center to the Glades and was recognized for her efforts by

having the center named after her.

Mrs. Hand also serves on several other boards including Chairman of the Board of Directors for the Bank of Belle Glade; member of the Board of Trustees of Community United Methodist Church; the West County American Red Cross Ways and Means Committee; a Leadership Glades and Alumni Group; Chairman of the PANDA Affair, Western Palm Beach County Mental Health Center; member of Women Involved in Farm Economics and a member of the Palm Beach County Cultural and Community Committee for Arts.

Mrs. Hand has been honored with the Distinguished Service Award from the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce in 1982 and as Citizen of the Year in 1977. She was nominated to the Florida Women's Hall of Fame in 1982 and received the Educational Social Service Award from the Executive Women of the Palm Beaches in 1984.

She and her husband, Homer, were also the 1990 recipients of the Champion of Higher Independent Education in Florida award, given by Stetson University.

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looking to start a Support Group for caregivers of dementia victims. If you have any input on the place this meeting should be held in your area, please contact Jackie Osborne at 924-7283 from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m.

#### Clothing Closet open

A clothing closet has been held at First Baptist Church in Belle Glade for all in need. The free clothing is available on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3 to 5 p.m. The church is located at 17 N.W. Avenue B,

Belle Glade.

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salaried board. For more information, call 996-0129.

#### Positions open on Health Care District Board

Several seats are open on the management board for the Palm Beach County Health Care District. Anyone who would like to help determine the future of health care in the Glades is invited to apply for one of several seats on the board. Applications are available at the Health Care District office, 1500 N.W. Ave. L, Belle Glade.

For more information, call 996-1718.

Children accepted free

Lutheran Ministries of Florida, PEPP Head Start, is now recruiting and accepting applications for 3 & 4 year old children. All children are welcome, including those with disabilities and there are no fees. The center is located at 200 S.W. 9th Street, Belle Glade.

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## Why not a volunteer fire department?

I see where the Bell Glade Firefighters are grumbling about being two firefighters short. Why not have an all volunteer fire department and do away with any paid firemen?

And don't say it can't be done, because I know a lot of bigger towns than Bell Glade that run strictly on a volunteer fire department. So why

not Belle Glade?

Editor's note: We want to assure all callers that Speak Out calls are completely anonymous. We have never, and we will never, reveal the name of any caller unless there is a threat to someone's life and this information would be necessary to protect an innocent person from harm.

## Letters to the Editor

## Participation needed for the "Stand for Children" day

Dear Editor:

The members of Mt. Calvary Baptist Church and myself are requesting the assistance of the community to become sponsors for the "Stand For Children" Day. On June 1, 1996 at Pioneer Park in Bell Glade, children in the surrounding area will come together for a full day of entertainment and fun activities. This day promises to be one of fun and excitement as businesses, organizations, and individuals come together to support our youth.

We would like to see businesses, colleges, and training institutions come and share information with seniors from all the high schools in the Glades area. Please, we need your help to make a difference in the lives of our youth. We appreciate any contributions you may have regarding this event.

For more information contact me at 996-0930 or Mary Harrell, 996-8087 or Beatrice Rumph at 996-6742.

Thank you,

Rev. Lion Camel, Jr.  
Pastor of Mount Calvary Baptist Church

## Old Glades Central to become home for community groups

Dear Editor:

We applaud the members of the School Board of Palm Beach County for their decision to allow the old high school facility to become home for a good number of community based organizations in the Glades. This has been in the works for a few months now, trying to work out all the details to make this happen. We would like to

extend a special thanks to West Area School Superintendent Eugenia Jones and her staff for their support in this endeavor.

This is a prominent edifice in the community, with special meaning for all who have traveled through her halls reaching toward the outside world. It is gratifying to know that the school will continue in its role as a place of learning and growth.

The new occupants will be molding and shaping lives, both young and old, through youth programs, apprenticeship and training programs, and the community support agencies that will be housed at the school. This is a fitting reuse of a building that holds such significance in the community.

We must continually look for such adaptive reuse of our older structures as we go through this revitalization process. Just because something is old doesn't mean it doesn't have substantial value to our community.

One of the major ideas that came out of the Bell Glade Charette was to turn Old City Hall on Avenue A into a museum of the Glades. From the Pahokee Charette came the idea to convert the old high school into a new municipal center. Monies are being found to make these plans a reality. Recognition of the importance of these landmarks is a crucial step in our ability to utilize our resources more effectively.

Aside from the cultural and historical significance of these structures to the community and its residents, economic realities dictate that we cannot afford to replace these buildings in size or character. Our communities are about to embark on an exciting "encounter with change" through the Vision to Action Forums. In the coming months, we will all have opportunities to share our ideas and visions for the future of the Glades. Let's be sure we remember that we need to take advantage of resources in our midst. When viewed in the proper perspective, we have many such resources in the Glades, they are the hidden treasures we have to find in our quest for renewal.

Virginia Martin  
Glades Community Development Corporation, Inc.

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## A guide to recognizing and reporting child abuse

Information compiled from the Children's Home Society of Florida

## Q. When does child abuse usually happen?

A. Children are hardly ever abused just once. Rather, abuse is the result of patterns of behavior in a family. The signs and symptoms may only be apparent at time passes.

## Q. Who commits child abuse?

A. Most child abuse is committed in the home by persons known to and trusted by the child, family members, relatives, baby-sitters or friends of the family.

The causes of child abuse are complex, but certain social and personal factors place some people at greater risk to abuse children in their care: financial stress, substance abuse, being a single adolescent parent, living in isolation, a history of domestic violence in the family or being an adult who was abused as a child.

## Q. When should I suspect physical abuse?

A. Non-accidental and inflicted injury to a child may include severe beatings, burns, bone fractures, strangulation or human bites. These injuries may be unexplained or the explanation offered is inconsistent with the injury. Pay attention also to:

- Many bruises, welts, cuts that are in various stages of healing or other visible injuries that regularly appear on a child
- A child's report of injury by a parent or another caretaker
- Children living in homes where there is frequent domestic violence because they are at a greatly increased risk to also being physically battered.

Children under age two with any marks from harsh discipline or beatings may be at grave risk for serious injury. Slap marks, pinch marks, teeth marks, grab marks all merit reporting. It is never appropriate to spank, shake, hit or slap infants, babies or very young children. Any parent or caretaker hitting a toddler with enough force to leave bruises is a danger to that baby. Toddlers will often have bruises on knees, shins, elbows, and the forehead or "midline" of the face.

Any place on the child's body where the bone is close to the surface of the skin is likely to be bruised in the daily effort of learning to walk. But, bruises on the soft parts of the baby's body, on the buttocks, on the thighs, on the lower back or abdomen, on the cheek or neck should all raise alarm signals.

## Q. What is sexual abuse?

A. It's not up to you to prove child abuse - that's the job of investigators. Reports are made by people who are concerned; reports make it possible for a child and the family to get help.

A. Sexual exploitation of a child includes rape, incest, fondling, exhibitionism, or pornography. Children may have pain or itching, bruises or bleeding around the genitals, stained or bloody underclothes. Other signs are:

- Venereal disease or pregnancy in very young teens
- Bizarre, sophisticated or unusual sexual behavior or knowledge relative to child's age
- A child's report of sexual abuse by other persons

## Q. What is emotional abuse?

A. Children can be victims of parents or caregivers who attack their emotional development by constant belittling, criticizing, humiliation, and insults, with no evidence of love, support or guidance. As a result, the child has an impaired ability to learn and cannot relate to others appropriately. They may also show:

- Extremes in behavior from overly aggressive to overly passive
- Delayed physical, emotional or intellectual development
- Failure to thrive in infants or young children. This means the child is not growing or developing because of lack of food and/or care.

## Q. When is a child being dangerously neglected?

A. The failure to provide a child with basic necessities, food, clothing, shelter, medical care, education, or proper supervision. Signs include:

- Constant hunger (begging for or hoarding food) fatigue or listlessness, poor hygiene (matte hair, dirty skin)
- Unattended physical or dental problems
- Evidence of alcohol or drug abuse by the parents

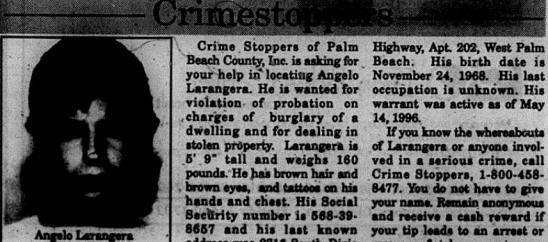
## Q. When should I report my suspicion of a dangerous situation?

A. Under Florida law, if you have reason to suspect that a child may be the victim of neglect, physical or sexual abuse or threatened harm you must report the case for further investigation to the state child abuse hotline: 1-800-96-ABUSE.

## Q. What if I can't prove it?

A. It's not up to you to prove child abuse - that's the job of investigators. Reports are made by people who are concerned; reports make it possible for a child and the family to get help.

Anyone seeking more information can call the Children's Home Society of Florida at 1-800-433-0010.



## Crimestoppers

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Highway, Apt. 202, West Palm Beach. His birth date is November 24, 1968. His last occupation is unknown. His warrant was active as of May 14, 1996.

If you know the whereabouts of Larangera or anyone involved in a serious crime, call Crime Stoppers, 1-800-455-8477. You do not have to give your name. Remain anonymous and receive a cash reward if your tip leads to an arrest or recovery of stolen property.



**WE APPRECIATE YOU...** A Nurses Appreciation Luncheon was held May 17 at the Belle Glade Elks Lodge to honor all local nurses. Those in attendance enjoyed the buffet and desserts and the company of others in their profession.

## Nurses Appreciation Luncheon draws crowd

Twenty-one members of the nursing profession attended a luncheon in their honor at the Belle Glade Elks Lodge May 17.

Some were retired nurses, such as Mina Murray and Abby Zumpf. Mrs. Zumpf was recognized as the the nurse who had started her career the earliest in the Glades. She said she graduated nursing school in 1934 and began working for Dr. Buck in Belle Glade in 1944 or 1945.

Those in attendance at the luncheon included future nurs-

es Laurie Teller, Nedean Sams, Vicki Snow, Trisha Gallo, Terri Garcia, Elizabeth Freeman, Dariel Walker, Janice Parks and Steven LaBelle, and Tina Hicks, LPN student West Tech.

Also in attendance were Ida Miziel, RN, director of nursing at the West County Mental Health Crisis Stabilization Unit; Arnetta C. Kelly, RN with the HRS Palm Beach County Health Unit as a school health supervisor; Terry Brancati, RN, BSN, practical nursing instructor for West Technical Education Center and an

administrative supervisor at Everglades Regional Medical Center; Violet Henry, RN, MS with the Palm Beach County Health Unit; Carmen Finney, LPN with the HRS Health Unit; Janet D. Lewis, CHN Supervisor at the HRS, PBCHU, Belle Glade; Anita Yoder, ARNP with the HRS, Belle Glade Center; Yonconia Williams, nursing supervisor at the HRS Public Health Unit; Suzanne Wallis, LPN at the HRS Public Health Unit; and Linda Harper, LPN with Hospice of Palm Beach County.



**WOMAN'S CLUB INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS...** The Belle Glade Woman's Club held installation of new officers for the 1996-97 year on Thursday, May 16. From left is installing officer and immediate past president Virginia Anderson, President Sandra Chamblee, First Vice President Nancy Carpenter, Second Vice President Gloria Swager, Treasurer Iris Tanner, Linda Hooker, standing in for Recording Secretary Mary Roth, and Corresponding Secretary Vivian Pate.



**WELCOME TO SOUTH BAY...** A new pharmacy has opened in the South Bay Plaza. Owners Godwin and Nikki Nwaoobi invite Glades residents to stop by and see what they have to offer.

## South Bay gets a pharmacy

A new pharmacy has moved into the South Bay Plaza and owners Godwin and Nikki Nwaoobi say they are glad to be in the area.

"We looked at Belle Glade, but there were already several pharmacies there," said Mr. Nwaoobi, a registered pharmacist.

The couple opened at 155 U.S. Highway 27 South, South Bay in April, but said business has been slow so far.

"It takes a while for people to know we're here," said Mr. Nwaoobi, "but those who do come in say their glad we opened here in South Bay."

The Nwaoobi's are from Broward County where they used to own a business. They said city officials in South Bay were very encouraging in their efforts to open the pharmacy.

"We couldn't have asked for nicer people," said Mr. Nwaoobi. "They have been very helpful."

The business is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on Saturday from

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mr. Nwaoobi said he would consider opening on Sunday also if there was a strong demand for his services. The pharmacy can be reached by calling 992-9220.



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## Obituaries

## Atkins

Add Atkins, 86, was born in Daytona Beach Dec. 17, 1910, to the late Jolene and Irene Atkins and died May 13, 1996. He came to Pahokee at an early age, where he made his home. Add joined the Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church in Sept. 1984, where he served on the Usher Board under leadership of Rev. O.W. West, Jr.

Surviving are: wife, Luvenia Atkins of Pahokee; three daughters - Louise Battle of Bartow, Maggie Mae of Dade County, and Wanda Dean of Thonotosassa; step-daughter, Lucille Williams of Pahokee; five grandchildren; two granddaughters - Sandra Ann Carmichael of Pahokee and Annette Stewart of Seattle, WA; mother-in-law, Mrs. Johnson of Pahokee; one sister, Viola Grier of Philadelphia, PA.; one brother, Willie Atkins of New York, NY; seven great-grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; cousin, Tuga of California; one aunt; special friends - James Gilbert and Ed Sutton; and a host of other relatives and

## friends.

Funeral services were held Saturday May 18, 1996 at 2 p.m. in the Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church, Pahokee, with Rev. Larry White, Pastor, officiating. Interment was held at Port Mayaca Cemetery, Port Mayaca.

Taylor-Smith-West Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

## Castro

Esther Castro, 84, formerly of Belle Glade, died Friday, May 10, 1996, at her home in Loxahatchee, FL. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are: husband, Santiago Castro; daughter, Esther Jose Martinez of Ft. Myers, and Jorge Martinez of Loxahatchee; the other grandchildren - Katie Ann, Joseph Michael, and Christopher Daniel Martinez; and sister, Maria Josefa of Miami.

Funeral mass was held Saturday, May 11, 1996, from St. Rita's Catholic Church, Wellington. Interment was in Our Lady

## Queen of Heaven Cemetery.

Arrangements by Boynton Memorial Chapel, Boynton Beach, with Leon H. Warren, Funeral Director.

## Dooley

Frank C. Dooley, 81, died May 14, 1996 in Brandon, Florida. He was a long time resident of Belle Glade. Mr. Dooley was born in Paducah, Kentucky Aug. 14, 1914. His family moved to Miami in 1916, where he graduated from Miami High School in 1932 and moved to Belle Glade in 1933. After working with the Everglades Flood Control for several years, he joined the Keesee Packing Company and remained in the produce business until retiring from Pioneer Growers in 1978. Always active in the community, he was President of the Lions Club in 1943-44 and he was a Police Commissioner from 1948-50. He was a charter member of Belle Glade Elks Lodge #1716, where he served as Exalted Ruler and was District Deputy to the Grand Lodge. He served on numerous boards and committees and was

affiliated with the Community United Methodist Church.

Surviving are: son, James C. Dooley of Tampa; daughter, Patsey Dooley Gordon of Wilmington, Delaware; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Visitation was held Sunday, May 19, from 5-7 p.m. at Mixson Funeral Home Chapel in Belle Glade and funeral services were held at 10 a.m. May 20 at the Community United Methodist Church in Belle Glade. Interment was held at Memorial Gardens beside his wife, Theo, who died in 1984.

Mixson Funeral Home, Belle Glade, was in charge of the arrangements.

## Evans

James R. Evans, 47, was born in Belle Glade on Feb. 7, 1949, to the late Clara T. Glass and N.J. Barber and died May 11, 1996. He was a member of the Class of 1967 at Lake Shore High School and attended Belle Glade Community College. He served four years as a Sergeant in the United States Air Force, where he traveled throughout the United States, Guam, Okinawa, and Vietnam. He was a member of the New Bethel Baptist Church and the Brotherhood.

Surviving are: wife, Mary O. Evans; two sons - Keith and Kevin; daughter, Jamie Monique Evans, all of Belle Glade; sisters - Shirley Frazier of Hendersonville, NC., Clara T. Evans of Trenton, NJ., Martha Evans of Clewiston, and Mary Lois Coleman of Belle Glade; brothers - Archie Evans of Cutberth, GA., Artis Evans of Pahokee, Otis Evans of Waycross, and N. Samuel Barber of West Palm Beach, and Emmanuel Barber of Rivera Beach; aunts - Carrie Evans of Plains, GA., Susie Barber of Boynton, Rosa Battle of Belle Glade; uncle, David Young of Miami; extended family - Eddie B., Helen Brown and children; goddaughters - Michaela D. Kendall and Leidra Smith; godmother - Mabel Myles, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Saturday, May 18, 1996, 12 noon, at the New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Belle Glade, with Rev. Robert F. Hariston, III, Pastor, and Rev.

Lee M. Bandolph officiating. Interment was in Forverglades Cemetery, Belle Glade.

Taylor-Smith-West Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

## Griffith

Shirley Lee Griffith, 49, was born June 20, 1946, to the late Louise Horton and George Jones and died May 13, 1996, at 6:10 a.m. in Belle Glade.

Surviving are: husband, Edward C. Griffith; sisters - Joann Jones of Belle Glade, Dorothy Mac Williams of Miami, and Julie Ann Mackey of South Bay; five sons - Willie Lee Jones, Warren Lee Jones, Milton Nathaniel Jones, Clarence Calvin Griffin, and Arthur Griffith, all of Miami; six grandchildren - Taquilla Griffin, Armand Griffin Jr., Marcus Griffin, Lawanda Jones, Kevin Jones, and Michael Jones, all of Miami; nephews - Larry and Leon King; niece, Teresa Williams; and 22 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday, May 18, 1996, at 3 p.m. in the Greater St. Paul Church of God in Christ, Belle Glade, with Elder Clarence Brown, Pastor, officiating. Interment was in Forverglades Mausoleum, Belle Glade.

Taylor-Smith-West Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

## Johnson

Otis C. Johnson, 64, was born Sept. 25, 1932 in Perry, GA., to the late Baby Johnson and Fannie Slappy, and died Tuesday, May 14, 1996 at 8:15 p.m. He attended school in Perry, GA., and later moved to Miami, then migrated to Belle Glade.

Surviving are: wife, Gloria J. Johnson of Belle Glade; three daughters - Vickie Johnson of Miami, Shantia Davis and Leiskeha Johnson, both of Belle Glade; sister, Esther Mae Gates of Atlanta, GA.; two mothers-in-law - Judy Smith of Albany, GA., and Fannie L. Johnson of Belle Glade; father-in-law, Walter Johnson of Belle Glade; three nieces - Janice DuConge, Anna J. Isom, and Tsen Jackson-Denissen of Atlanta, GA.; nephew, Kahli Jackson of Atlanta, GA.; ten sisters-in-law - Marva Thomas and Renee Sisroe of Albany, GA., Laverta Jenkins of

Salisbury, MD., Sharon Gordon of Bainbridge, GA., Geraldine Johnson of Belle Glade, Emma J. Weatherup of Tallahassee, Renee Atkins and Jacqueline Faggy of West Palm Beach, Verne Robinson of Boynton Beach, and Emma Goodson of Belle Glade; eight brothers-in-law - Luke Dennis of Valdosta, GA., Timothy Danison of Atlanta, GA., Israel Smith of Albany, GA., David Riddick of Boynton Beach, Rufus Gates of Atlanta, GA., James Weatherup of Tallahassee, Wilson Johnson of Belle Glade, and Eugene Johnson of West Palm Beach; cousin, Madison Holmes; three grandchildren - Shawanna Johnson, Jazzy Gray, and Shantia Bryant; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Saturday, May 18, 1996 at 11 a.m. in the Friendly Morning Star Baptist Church, Runyon Village, Belle Glade, with Rev. Jesse Biggs officiating. Interment was in Forverglades Mausoleum Gardens, Belle Glade.

Taylor-Smith-West Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

## Waddell

Joel Frank Waddell, 90, of 1337 Old Belle Glade Road, Pahokee, died early Monday, May 13, at his residence.

A native of Baker, FL., he was born on Oct. 12, 1905, son of the late Mr. & Mrs. Plez Waddell. He had been a resident of Pahokee since moving from Baker in 1930. He was a vegetable farmer, had farmed in the Glades for over 60 years, and was a member of the Good Shepherd Church of God.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Eva Ann Waddell, in August 1990 and a son, Ray Waddell, in February 1974.

Surviving are: son, Donald Waddell of Pahokee; three grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Thursday, May 16, at 10 a.m. in the Good Shepherd Church of God, The Rev. James H. Brewer, Pastor, officiated. Interment was in Port Mayaca Memorial Park.

The James A. Bennett Funeral Home, Pahokee, had charge of the arrangements.

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**CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NO. 10**  
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## Palm Beach Bandit football team wins in overtime

Saturday was a time of excitement for the citizens of the Bahamian isle of Nassau. There was the JUNKANOO

Parade and lots of celebration leading up to the 1st Annual Charity Bowl football game.

There were some celebrities present for the event—Lawrence Taylor, Rickey Jackson, A.J. Duhe, the American Ambassador, and many more.

After the opening ceremonies, it was time for some football.

The Bandits received the ball first. Tommy Alonso fielded the opening kick and fumbled the ball, but he recovered it deep in their own territory.

On the first play from scrimmage, Bandit's running-back T. Dempsey fumbled the ball, Allstars recovering on the 12-yard line.

Three plays later, the Allstars scored a touchdown, but failed to make the extra point. The score was 6-0 Allstars.

On the Bandit's next possession, QB Andre Russell fielded off to running-backs Tommy Lawrence and T. Dempsey to try to establish a running attack, but that plan was foiled by the Allstars hard-hitting. The Bandits were forced to punt and the score remained 6-0 until the second quarter.

The Bandit's defense held the Allstars with some gutsy plays from Bandit cornerbacks Fred Woods, Craig Knowles, and M. Klesky. The Allstars were forced to punt.

The Bandits took over on their own 20-yard line. The Bandits set up in shotgun formation, and QB Andre Russell threw to tight-end Mike Anderson for a 36-yard gain.

The next play, Russell hit Anderson again for a 21-yard gain, Russell handed off to Tommy Lawrence for a 12-yard gain, and from the Allstars 26-yard line, Russell threw a perfect pass to Alco Hill for the Bandit's first touchdown. The Bandits took the lead 7-6, and that's how the half ended.

The second half was fast, furious, and full of big hits. Tight-end B. Todd left the game with a knee injury and QB Andre Russell was slow getting up a number of times due to some questionable late hits.

The third quarter brought an extensive passing attack by

the Bandits. Russell threw to Anderson, wide-receiver T. Alonso, and Milton Woods but came up empty.

Balls were dropped that should have been caught. There was no way the passes could have been thrown any better," said Head Coach Roy Swanson.

The Allstars moved down the field with ease with the help of penalties called on the Bandits.

A few plays later, the Allstars scored a touchdown and gained a two-point conversion to take the lead 14-7.

With time running out, 3:54 seconds remaining, the Bandit's offense methodically moved down the field thanks to the right arm of Andre Russell, some great blocking of the entire line, and the soft hands of Mike Anderson and Alco Hill.

With 1:02 seconds left in the game, Russell connected with Alco Hill in the endzone for the second Bandit touchdown of the game. The score was tied and overtime was inevitable.

Overtime was played by the Texas Tie-breaker rules, four downs from the 10-yard line.

The Allstars won the toss

and they had the first chance toward scoring. The Bandit's defense held the Allstars with three big plays, lead by linebackers M. Chase and Charles Walker, but the Allstars scored on their fourth down but missed their extra point.

The Bandits took the field and their first two plays were stuffed in the back field.

Third down and goal, Bandit QB, Russell, ran the option to Lawrence around the left side for a touchdown but the play was called back because of a holding call on the Bandits.

Two plays later, the Bandits line up in shotgun formation and Russell squeezed a bullet into the endzone to Milton Woods for the tying touchdown and Mike Anderson kicked the game-winning extra point to give the Bandits the victory in the First Annual Charity Bowl.

Russell finished the game with 16 out of 22 throws for 231 yards and threw three touchdown passes; Anderson had eight catches for 106 yards, two extra point conversions; and Alco Hill finished with five catches for 64 yards and two touchdown catches.



COOLING OFF ROSENWALD ELEMENTARY'S FIFTH GRADE... Pictured above South Bay Fireman J. Russell Frank, sprays the fifth grade class at Rosenwald Elementary with the firehouse May 10.

## Glade View presents "Water, Water, Everywhere"

Glade View Elementary will present two end of the year programs. The theme of each program is Water, Water, Everywhere. Each classroom has selected a song, poem, or skit that relates to the theme and all students will be performing with their class.

First, Third, and Fifth grade students will be performing on Wed., May 29. Pre-K, Kindergarten, Sec-

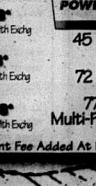
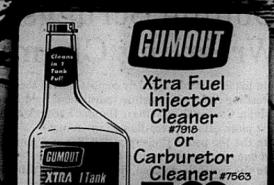
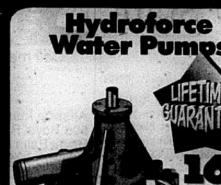
ond, and Fourth grade students will be performing on Wed., June 5. Each program will begin at 7 p.m. at the Dolly Hand Theater. All parents and members of the community are invited to attend. These programs have been funded by a grant from the Community Foundation of Palm Beach and Martin Counties.

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## PBCC PTK recognized

Palm Beach Community College Central Campus students representing Delta Omicron attended Phi Theta Kappa's national convention in Washington, D.C., April 18-20, and the chapter earned several awards.

In the Scholarship category, Delta Omicron was ranked 18th out of 1,200 chapter. For Overall Programs, PBCC ranked 58th and placed in the top five percent. Additionally, the chapter received the Distinguished Region Award, with Florida placing in the top three out of 27 regions.

Central Campus Senior Instructor Alton Hamlin was one of 25 who were honored with the Continued Excellence Adviser's award. He also received a plaque for 15 years of service to PTK.

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In the midst of winter, I finally learned that there was in me an invincible summer.

—Albert Camus

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Trust only movement. Life happens at the level of events, not of words. True movement.

—Alfred Adler

## Mixson Florist to close its doors after 35 years of serving the Glades

On May 31, Mixson Florist will close its doors for the last time, after serving the Glades for 35 years.

Owners Sherry Barnes and her mother, Alice Mixson, say they have sold the building at 200 S.W. Avenue E. Mrs. Barnes plans to move to Orlando and open a home accessories business called "Nickie and Company."

Mrs. Mixson says she plans to remain in Belle Glade. "I've lived in the Glades a half century. I've loved it here."

She said she still plans to be associated with Mixson Funeral Home, "but I want to do some traveling and visit with my three grandchildren and three great grandchildren in Orlando. Bobbie Grindstaff, who Mrs. Barnes says has been a faithful co-worker for 20 years, has retired. Claude Kramer, flower designer, will be joining Sherry in Orlando at her new business at 712 Washington Street. "I want to invite all our friends to come and see us when they're in the Orlando

area," said Mrs. Barnes.

Mrs. Mixson recalled the early days of Mixson Florist when they were in a small building on Avenue L in 1961. She said it was the loyalty of her customers that allowed her to expand now.

"I wanted to thank all the people in the Glades for their support through the years," said Mrs. Mixson.

"It's been great fun. We've appreciated everyone here and will miss them," said Mrs. Barnes.

## Pahokee children offered summer recreation activities

The City of Pahokee Recreation Department will be offering eight weeks of summer recreation activities. The city's recreation department will use two sites, the city's Community Recreational Complex and the city's park building to run its programs.

Flag football, softball, volleyball, basketball, ping pong,

board games, etc., are some of the activities offered at the Community Recreation Complex. Activities offered at the park building include swimming lessons in Belle Glade, field trips, basketball, volleyball, board games, skating, bowling, etc.

Ron Osborne, recreation director, said there is a \$15

registration fee and participants must be at least in the first grade to participate. All participants will be given an identification badge which they must wear during program activities.

For more information, call the City of Pahokee Recreation Department at 924-2972 or 924-2976.

## Winners announced in Creative Writing Competition

A Creative Writing Competition was held at the Glades Campus of Palm Beach Community College. The awards presentation for the competition was held Friday, May 10. Over 100 entries were received in the six categories. This was the second Creative Writing Competition sponsored by the local community college.

Coordinated by Steven Gibson, senior instructor and author, the event was part of the activities sponsored through the Endowed Chair awarded to him. In addition to Mr. Gibson, judges were Dr. Frank Adams of the Central Campus, Diana Kilpatrick of the Eissey Campus, and David Nixon of South Campus. Winners received \$25.

Included in the seven first place winners were PBCC students Aaron Caldwell, Sara McCarthy and Adele Fortney as well as Adjunct Instructor Sonja Lutz.

## Sweeping changes as a result of FAIR

The new Farm Bill provides for sweeping changes in the provisions to which the Farm Service Agency (FSA) and county officers are accustomed.

Harry D. McGinn, state executive director of FSA announced the provisions of the Agricultural Market Transition Act Program (AMTA) this week. AMTA replaces the Acreage Production Program in previous farm bills and Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman has pledged that the U.S. Department of Agriculture would work quickly to implement the new Farm Bill.

Crops eligible for participation in the AMTA are wheat, oats, corn, grain sorghum, barley, upland cotton and rice. Eligible contract acreage will be calculated for each crop using the same formula that would have been used to calculate a 1996 Crop Acreage Base for the crop instead of calculating crop acreage bases.

Producers will have only one opportunity to enroll a farm in a Production Flexibility Contract and must do so by July 12, 1996. Producers who miss this one-time sign-up will not be eligible to enroll the farm at a later date. All landowners and producers of eligible crops are encouraged to visit their local Farm Service Agency Office for additional details and to sign up.

**SOON THEY'LL BE LOCKING THE DOOR FOR THE LAST TIME...** Sherry Barnes and Alice Mixson will be closing Mixson's Florist in Belle Glade after 35 years in the business on May 31. Mrs. Mixson said she will miss working with all her friends and loyal customers, but she will continue to live in Belle Glade and help out

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## Surviving the 1928 Hurricane Part Two

All around the lake, about 200 feet, is a ridge of land, higher than the surrounding land. It is perhaps 150 feet wide and runs all around the lake. Most of the better homes are built on this ridge and in this way the town is strong out around the lake on one side. Just back of this ridge is the low muck land, surrounded by canals. This is where the winter vegetables are raised. The muck is organic and will burn. It is not unusual to see the ground smoking where some careless person has started a fire. Ground, or muck, that has been burned is always lower by a few inches than it was before.

It is the rule for anyone to start a fire on muck land without a permit, and then they must stay there to see it put out. Weeds grow on this land as large as trees, in only a few months' time. It is a queer, rather beautiful place. There is a profusion of flowers, tall palm and trees of many kinds, but underneath it's seeming pliability, there is a feeling of the jungle ever approaching. A feeling as of something ever going on, of millions of small things felt but not seen, and the nights are alive with sound. It is then the alligators busily forage for their food and all sorts of wild animals are to be found. Alligator hunts are a frequent night pastime. Life is very abundant and vivid here.

The town slopes through the three months of summer, and is a dull, torpid place, but the first of Sept. it becomes feverishly active and remains so the balance of the year. A large portion of the population is Negro because of the need for plenty of help with the vegetable farming. Beans and tomatoes are grown in large fields here as are cotton and corn in other places. And, unlike cotton or corn, they must be picked in a very few

days after they are ready, or almost at once. So one white man quite often works forty or fifty Negroes.

Many of the Negroes come from the Nassau Islands and are called Nassaus. They cannot speak English freely, though they seem to understand it. Their heads are flat on top. Perhaps this has been caused by their mode of carrying everything on top of their heads. It is not unusual to see them carrying huge baskets, trunks, tubs or such on their heads.

Of course, there are many American Negroes here too. Most of them do not marry legally and they change "husbands" or "wives" quite frequently. A Negro on my brother-in-law's place had lived with his wife unusually long. He left on a short trip and came home to find another man had moved in during his absence.

We looked for trouble, but he just moved in to, and that was all there was to it. However, fights are frequent among themselves, but the Southern Negro strictly stays to himself. Many of the Negroes are drifters, but the ones that stay the year around are much in demand. They are kept by the white people, given a place to live and food, but they cannot work for anyone. Also without your place to stay. Most of them live back in the muck or low-lying.

The majority of people live more easily here than any place I have ever been. May an uneducated man, who would have a hard time elsewhere to make a living, is quite comfortably fixed financially, and through the summer months travels extensively. New York and Canada are spoken of there as if they were quite near and usual. It is a place of contradictions, yet fascinating. They have a saying there that once you get muck in your shoes, you will always

return, no matter where you go. The climate is Tropical and the people quite cosmopolitan.

Now, five weeks after our arrival home, on Sept. 16, 1928, the government issued storm warnings. Hurricanes are not unusual there during the month of Sept., but that is not the only month they come. My brother-in-law still had one week of his six weeks' time to spend in bed. All radio reports were that the Hurricane was headed toward the west coast of Florida. As we were on the East Coast, we were not too much disturbed, although we knew we would naturally be in for some stormy weather.

Now a Hurricane is not at all like a cyclone. It is a straight wind, but travels in circles. It sweeps straight on, while a cyclone (tornado) twists and dips and does all sorts of things. Hurricanes, as a rule, are not greatly to be feared. If the homes are well built, they will stand up to a great deal of straight wind.

The wind was blowing strongly on this morning, but my sister and I were taking our time about the housework and no one was worrying. My husband and brother-in-law were staying checkers, one thing he loved to do to pass away the time while in bed. It seemed to me they played a thousand games that five weeks. None of us was very cheerful and my husband was glad to be of use and help amuse the invalid. Besides, he likes to play checkers.

What was our astonishment when my father arrived, ordered us all to pack a bag, and go to his home or clear to the heart of the town. My father's home and business were the center, right in the business district, while my sister's home was farther down the lake ridge.

Now, my father is one of the most fearless individuals I

have ever known and many times when the town had been practically evacuated on account of storm warnings, my father would not move a step, and to insist on us taking a sick man out of bed when he was so weak (perspiration broke out on him when he would sit up), was unthinkable to me. My father insisted, regardless of reports the storm was headed out way, and we were going with him. We threw a few things half-heartedly and rather disgruntled into a bag, only a change of spice. My father and husband carried Duncan wrapped in his blankets and set out for my father's home.

It was about 9 a.m. The wind was blowing strongly and the lake was stormy and rough as we hurried to the car. We went to my father's home, but after about an hour, he insisted we all stay at the home of my brother-in-law's mother, Mrs. Moran, which was still on the ridge, but farther back from the lake, just across the street from my father's home. My father had built and sold the house himself and he knew how strongly it was constructed.

A beautiful sand beach stretched out just a 100 feet from my father's back porch, and there was the lake, a magnificent view and a wonderful way to spend a lazy afternoon.

Hour by hour the wind grew in intensity and, as other homes were deemed not safe, our little family group became augmented by neighbors and friends. By two p.m., there were about 30 of us in the 6-room house and the wind was so strong a person could not stand up outside.

We were still getting government reports on the radio and the storm was still headed toward the west coast. Gradually, the wind grew stronger, the noise became so deafening that we could only hear one another speak by yelling in the ear. Picture if you can, this group of people all sitting quietly waiting. As I was the only one who knew shorthand, my ear was laid against the loudspeaker of the radio and as I would hear a faint voice broadcasting the new location of the storm center, I wrote it on a piece of paper and it was rapidly handed around the room until finally we knew where we could find a place to sit or lie down on sleep easily. Four of us crawled in bed with the ill Duncan, glad to have any place to relax after the terrible emotional strain. Most of us had wet feet and no dry shoes.

By dawn, the wind was still howling, but it seemed like nothing at all to us. I shall never forget my first look at what had happened outside. Such havoc and desolation was soul-sickening. The Everglades is normally a jungle of trees, flowers, grass, weeds or some thing growing on nearly every inch. There was nothing but ruin. The ground was swept clear of every blade of grass, then huge piles of driftwood, animals, humans, Oh, God! Everything.

My father's house, at first glance, looked all right, but on closer inspection it leaned drunkenly to one side and the back end, toward the lake, was entirely gone. It was off the foundation and huge blocks big enough for a man to pass through were thrown here and there. The paved street which had separated the two houses, was piled high with huge chunks of solid muck. What had caused the damage was the veering of the wind when it had stopped suddenly and we thought the storm was over. It had been blowing toward the lake, then it changed and came back, bringing the lake water with it in a solid sheet like a cloud over the ridge, inundating the low muck land behind the ridge. That was when the water came up in our floor,

when a sudden blast shook the house. It did not come gradually this time, but with the fury renewed many times. It was as if all the devils in hell were shouting in our ears. The house shook like a leaf. A gable was taken off the upstairs room and, all at once, we noticed water coming up in the floor, just an inch or two at a time.

I don't believe there was a human being there, besides the children of course, who were not praying to their God. Silently, of course, as no one acted frightened or became hysterical.

I prayed with a new secret fear: the fear of losing the little one close to my heart. I felt the time was near. My face broke out in an agony of perspiration. I hadn't even the comfort of my husband's presence. Duncan clung to him desperately, begging him not to leave him even if the house went down. I clung to my little gift and prayed. No doctor there. No nothing.

The children, about 10 of them, were all piled on one bed, Duncan on another, and on the only other bed a neighbor woman was ill. There was not even chairs for all of us, so that some of us sat on the floor until the water started rising.

I think we all felt the rising water to be the beginning of the end. One side of the room, where my brother-in-law lay, suddenly caved inward as if a giant hand had given it a push and then stopped. Gradually now, the water stopped rising and the wind began to die down. Toward morning, those of us who could find any place to sit or lie down on sleep easily. Four of us crawled in bed with the ill Duncan, glad to have any place to relax after the terrible emotional strain. Most of us had wet feet and no dry shoes.

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Several hundred people had stayed in the school house during the hurricane, only a half block from us. Women fainted, became hysterical, children cried and grown men were on their knees praying through the night. Pandemonium reigned during the night inside the school house as well as outside. Our little group were silent, hardly daring to breathe.

A beautiful Royal Palm just outside the door, was pierced by seven huge rafters, beginning at the ground and going up nearly to its leaves. About seven more rafters were stuck in an exact pattern at its foot, about one foot apart! My father's new car sat nearby with not a scratch on it.

Business buildings that were not demolished sat crazily in the middle of street. Here and there doors and windows were gone, here nothing but a wreck, and muck brought up by the lake inside buildings everywhere. Even the first-while beautiful beach was an ugly thing of muck, and queer heaps and driftwood. The water usually a beautiful blue, now black.

(See Part Three of "A Time of Stress", the conclusion, in next week's edition of The Sun.)

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS EVALUATION AND APPRAISAL REPORT CITY OF BELLE GLADE

#### PLANNING & ZONING BOARD/CITY COMMISSION

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Florida Statutes Chapter 163, the City of Belle Glade Code, Chapter 31-291, that the Local Planning & Zoning Board and the City Commission of the City of Belle Glade will hold public hearings for the preparation of the City's Evaluation and Appraisal Report.

In accordance with Chapter 163 F.S., Part II, F.S., the City of Belle Glade must conduct an Evaluation and Appraisal Report (EAR) of its Comprehensive Plan. The Purpose of the EAR is to assess the success or failure of the City's Comprehensive Plan and to provide objectives and policies to adequately address the needs of the City due to changing conditions.

#### Public Hearings Schedule

**May 23, 1996 - Planning & Zoning Board at 5:30 p.m.**  
**June 10, 1996 - City Commission at 8:00 p.m.**

The eight elements of the Comprehensive Plan will be discussed. The elements are: Conservation, Infrastructure, Intergovernmental coordination, Traffic, Recreation and Open Space, Housing, Future Land Use, and Capital Improvement.

These Public Hearings will be held at the Belle Glade City Hall, Municipal Complex, Belle Glade, Florida and will commence at said time or as soon thereafter as can be heard.

The public is invited to attend these hearings or submit written comments to the City of Belle Glade regarding the Evaluation and Appraisal Report.

Copies of the Preliminary Work Product for the Evaluation and Appraisal Report may be reviewed by the public at the Planning & Building Department, located in the City Hall of the City of Belle Glade, Florida, Municipal Complex, Belle Glade, Florida, 33430, from 8:30 A.M. until 4:30 P.M. daily except on Saturday and Sunday. Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Planning & Building Department at (407)996-0100.

Should any interested party seek to appeal any decision made by the Planning & Zoning Board or City Commission with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearings, such person will need to insure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be used.

City of Belle Glade, Florida  
By: Debra R. Buff, City Clerk

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, persons needing special accommodations to participate in this proceeding should contact the city clerk at 407-996-0100 no later than 48 hours prior to the proceeding. If hearing impaired, telephone the Florida Relay Service Numbers, 800-555-4771 (TDD) or 800-555-6770 (Voice), for assistance. (Reference: Florida Statute 284.20)

### "One Heart, One Voice" features Belle Glade Teen

Eizer Botes, 13, of Belle Glade, is one of the talented teens featured in the recording of a new production by the Puppetry Arts Center of the Palm Beaches.

The original musical puppet show, "One Heart, One Voice" tells the story of three children from diverse cultural backgrounds who learn that, despite their apparent differences, they have a great deal in common: love of family, pride in their community, and a strong sense of their ethnic heritage. Botes plays and sings the role of "Jean".

The creators of the show, Ronni Gerstel and Shana Zingman, went into minority neighborhoods to talk to the children first-hand, and to hear their positive life stories. The cast was then brought together at Mole Hill Music to record the voices for the production and to sing the music written especially for the show by Lori Hope

Baumel. "One Heart, One Voice" opens with the arrival of a creature from another planet where everyone is the same. He comes to observe a "strange place", called Palm Beach County, where everyone appears to be different. He learns, along with the children he encounters, that everyone is the same where it counts in their hearts.

The project was funded through a grant from the Community Foundation for Palm Beach and Martin Counties, with additional support from Palm West MRI, from Drs. Ackerman, Herbst, and Plaskoff, and from Dr. Howard Busch.

"One Heart, One Voice" premieres at the Puppetry Arts Center on Saturday, June 8, at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. The will tour Palm Beach County throughout the summer. It is geared for family members 5 and up.

For information and reservations call the Center at 407-687-3280.

## Carreja, Pursell and Campbell named vice president at cooperative

Tirso Carreja was named President Mill Operations and Chief of Fabrication; Phyllis Pursell was named Vice President Agriculture Division; and Ray Campbell was named Vice President Human Resources at the May Board of Directors meeting of the Sugar Cane Growers Cooperative of Florida.

Carreja joined the Cooperative in 1973 as fabrication supervisor. In 1976 he left the Cooperative to become manufacturing superintendent at Talisman Sugar. In 1985, he returned and assumed the position of Chief of Fabrication.

Carreja has been in the sugar business all of his life. He

began working in the laboratory of a sugar mill in Cuba when he was 17 years old while attending the Central University of Cuba majoring in sugar chemistry. Carreja has worked in five sugar mills in Cuba, one in Ecuador and three in Florida.

Campbell joined the Cooperative in 1979 as Personnel Manager. He earned his degree

in psychology from the University of Connecticut in 1969 and has worked as a human resources professional in various capacities since that time. He is certified as a Senior Professional in Human Resources by the Human Resources Certification Institute.

As governmental regulations in the workplace have changed, Campbell has been

instrumental in implementing programs to meet these changes. One of his major accomplishments was the design of a safety program which served as the cornerstone for the Cooperative's award winning safety program.

Pursell joined the Cooperative in 1973. During her career at the Cooperative she has steadily assumed more responsi-

bilities and was supervising the planning and administrative aspects of the Agriculture Department last year when she was promoted to the position of Manager of the Agriculture Division. She was an integral part of the management team which successfully implemented the total mechanization of the Cooperative's sugar-cane harvest.

"These individuals are to be commended for their contributions to the Cooperative," said Bill Kramer, Vice President and General manager. "These promotions are a recognition of these individuals' value to our organization and the confidence the Board of Directors has in each of them to continue providing excellent service to our grower members."

### • Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation fund raiser

Personal watercraft owners from across south Florida embark on a 50-mile journey up and down the intercoastal waterway between Stuart and Ft. Pierce.

Barbara McMillan, South Bay resident and owner of GHC Motorsports, has organized this unique event to raise money for the South Florida Chapter of the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.

The event will take place on Sunday, June 2, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. on the intercoastal waterway from Stuart Causeway, Stuart to Ft. Pierce and back. (Off I-95 N or S, go east on State Road 76 in Stuart, turn right in to SE Monterey Road, turn right again on to A1A, go over two bridges and look for SEA-DOO banner on your right.)

Those interested may register to participate in the Ride for a Cure by calling GHC Motorsports at 407-996-2818. Funds will be raised for the Foundation by riders obtaining and collecting single donations or pledges for miles achieved.

Funds raised for the South Florida Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation in support of its efforts to educate the public about early breast cancer detection and to help further research for a cure.

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### The Directory to the Glades Business Community

In August *The Sun* newspaper will be printing a booklet promoting Glades Businesses, from the smallest to the largest. The directory will be an informative guide for new and current residents in an 8 by 11 inch booklet format. The cost is only \$100 per business.

Call Penny Lester at 996-4404 if you would like to participate.

## "Stand for Children" day to be held June 1

Calling all ministers, parents, city officials, school administrators, teachers and all other concerned citizens from the tri-cities of Belle Glade, Pahokee, and South Bay.

Rev. Leon Camel Jr., and members of the Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, (Raiderville) Belle Glade, cordially invites Glades area residents to come out to Pioneer Park on June 1 to take part in "Stand for Children Day".

This day promises to be one of fun and excitement as communities come together to support our youth and as they participate in well-planned activities for a full day of enjoyment and socialization.

This is our chance to come together in peace and harmony with the youth of the tri-cities participating in activities together in unity. There will be scheduled activities that will

give them an opportunity to show off their athletic and intellectual abilities.

The activities begin at 8 a.m. at the Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, 399 Canal Street, Belle Glade, (407) 996-8238.

Rehearsal dates are May 30 at 6 p.m. and May 31 at 6 p.m.

Schedule of Events include:

- Food & drinks; basketball; softball; creative dance; forums; oratorical presentations; table games; step shows; and a city-wide Gospel Concert at the Glades Central High School Gymnasium will climax the day's activities.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Persons interested in sponsoring an activity should contact one of the following persons: Rev. Leon Camel, Jr., at 996-0930; Mary Harrell at 996-8087; or Beatrice Rumpf at 996-6742.

There's nothing wrong with teenagers that reasoning with them won't aggravate.

—Unknown

### Request for Proposal

THE GLADES COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD IS REQUESTING PROPOSALS FROM INTERESTED CONTRACTORS FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT: SITE PREPARATION FOR A BUS/MAINTENANCE FACILITY ON 10TH STREET IN MOORE HAVEN.

WORK WILL INCLUDE PREPARING THE SITE TO ALLOW SCHOOL BUSES TO DRIVE AND PARK ON THE AREA. THE WORK WILL INCLUDE REMOVING ANY EXISTING MUCK IN THE TARGETED SITE AND BACKFILLING WITH APPROPRIATE FILL UP TO THE SPECIFIED LEVEL FOR BUS MOVEMENT. WORK WILL INCLUDE BRINGING THE AREA OF THE BUS/MAINTENANCE GARAGE 18 INCHES ABOVE ROAD LEVEL. SITE PLANS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE SCHOOL BOARD OFFICE ON AVENUE L AND 10TH STREET. CONTACT NORMAN L. HUGHES, P.O. BOX 459, MOORE HAVEN, FLORIDA 33471 FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

A NON MANDATORY MEETING OF ALL INTERESTED PARTIES WILL BE HELD MAY 28, 1996 AT 2:00 P.M. IN THE SCHOOL BOARD CONFERENCE ROOM AT AVENUE L AND 10TH STREET, MOORE HAVEN. ALL PROPOSALS ARE DUE INTO THE OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT JUNE 5, 1996 AT 2:00 P.M.



ONE BIG FAMILY, WITH A FEW GUESTS... Pictured above, left to right, are: (front row) Family Nurse Practitioner Martha Jennings, Medical Assistant Theresa Clark, Office Manager Jane Mesa, (second row) Leigh Woodham of the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce, Dr. Steve Snyder - Family Practice Medicine, Brooke Sedgwick - RT, Laura Cano - Receptionist, Wanda Woods - Medical Assistant, and Alice Thompson - Pahokee Chamber Executive Secretary, at the Card Exchange Mixer sponsored by Western Community Family Practice, located at 941 SE 1st Street, Belle Glade, held May 16 at 5 p.m. Businesses exchanged cards and made acquaintances over a nice buffet luncheon.



GIVING AWAY GATOR BARNEY... Pictured above, left to right, are Laura Enfinger of the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce, Gator Barney fishing out business cards, and Dot Vanlandingham of the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce who collected business cards and gave out name tags at the Chamber Card Exchange Mixer held Thursday, May 16.



GLISSON MUSEUM OPENING SOON... Pictured above from left to right are Joan Glisson, Pahokee Chamber's Dot Vanlandingham, Bink Glisson, and Pahokee Chamber Executive Secretary Alice Thompson. The Glissons' are opening a museum in the South Florida Fairgrounds YesterYear Village, West Palm Beach.

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**The Sun newspaper  
will be closed  
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### ATTENTION ALL INCOME GROUPS

#### Important Notice To Homeowners

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Greenland Ranch, California, with 134 degrees F on July 10, 1913, holds the record for the highest temperature ever officially recorded in the U.S.

### Summer Bookmobile schedule for the Glades

The Palm Beach County Library System announces the summer Bookmobile Schedule for the Glades. Effective May 13, the Bookmobile will be parked at the NOAH Development Corporation complex at 601 Covenant Drive from 3:30 to 4:15 p.m. alternate Mondays.

In addition to serving the Building Blocks Family Development Center and the Tri-City Family Literacy Project, any residents of Covenant Villas and the surrounding areas who are unable to take advantage of the Belle Glade Branch Library are encouraged to visit the Bookmobile.

The Bookmobile will continue to visit Okeechobee Center, staying an extra fifteen minutes, from 2:30 to 3:15 p.m. The Bookmobile will NOT stop at the Lake Shore Middle School for the summer; the schedule for Fremd Village, McClure Village, and Padgett Island remain the same.

The Bookmobile carries a constantly-changing collection of over 1800 books for adults and children, including fiction, non-fiction, paperback books and picture books. Staff welcome library users of all ages, and will offer story hours for children as well as assisting in the choice of materials. The Bookmobile is also part of the County Library System's Summer Reading Program, to start late in June.

Residents may use a current County Library Card, or receive one free of charge on the Bookmobile, with presentation of identification with a current address. Further information and a complete schedule is available from the Mobile Library, (407) 845-4600.

## Glades Day School Gator Tales

The last week of school is here and Glades Day School students are chomping at the bit to be excused for the summer holidays. But first they must make it through their final exams, scheduled for May 28-31.

In the meantime, students in K5 and sixth grade will "walk the aisle" for their graduation. The K5 graduation for students on the West Campus will take place at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 23, in the Spanish Chapel of the First Baptist Church, Belle Glade. The K5 students on the Main Campus will graduate at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 30. The Main Campus will hold its ceremonies at 10 a.m. that day while the West Campus will begin at 7 p.m. in the

Spanish Chapel.

Senior Class Night, an evening of recognition for the Class of '96, will be held this Friday evening, May 24, in Tripp Hall. The program is open to everyone as we honor the senior graduates in academic excellence.

Glades Day's third annual "Spanish Day," celebrating the "Cinco de Mayo," was a bigger success than ever due to the efforts of Spanish teachers Victor and Carey Slesinger and their students. Spanish I and II students divided into groups and selected countries to do projects on. The projects included written reports, poster displays and samples of food native to that country. Mrs. Slesinger's conversational Spanish classes also helped to

make pinatas for the elementary classes to burst. It was a lot of fun for everyone as all the elementary and high school students visited the displays and sampled the various foods and dishes. A special congratulations go to the foursome of Carla Alvarez, Courtney Bradock, Ashley Cunningham, and Michele Herring, who won first prize for their outstanding report and presentation on Mexico!

Ask a sophomore to lend you a hand and he'll proudly show you the one sporting the Class of '98 ring that arrived last week. The rings, ordered through Herff Jones, came in a variety of shapes and sizes to fit each student's taste.

The varsity football team will play in Moore Haven's



Spring Jamboree this Saturday, May 25. The jamboree is set to begin at 4 p.m. The Gators will face King's Academy at 6:30 p.m. Good luck guys!

**REMINDER TO STUDENTS GOING INTO GRADES 7-12:**

In order to ensure that you get the classes of your choice, please turn in a Course Selection Form to the high school office if you have not already done so. Those who don't turn in by the end of the school year will have their classes selected for them.

## PBCC names Endowed Teaching Chair awards

Palm Beach Community College President Edward M. Eissey announced the recipients of PBCC's Endowed Faculty Chairs at the annual All-College meeting held May 7 at the Duncan Theatre.

The four faculty members include Central Campus Senior Instructor of Art

Patrick Slattery, the SunFest Endowed Faculty Chair; Central Campus Associate Professor of Business John Murphy, the George and Wilma Elmore Endowed Faculty Chair; Central Campus Associate Professor of Social Science Daniel O'Connell, the Edward M. Eissey Endowed Faculty

Chair; and Glades Campus Assistant Professor of Science Jeffrey Fisher, the Linda Herring Glades Campus Endowed Faculty Chair.

Endowed through personal and corporate donations, PBCC's Endowed Teaching Chair program was conceptualized in 1988 to re-

ognize faculty for outstanding professional achievements and service. Since then, donations have been secured which are now accruing the income necessary to fund the program. For more information on PBCC's Endowed Faculty Chair Program, call the PBCC Foundation, (561) 439-8074.

## Outstanding FAU Political Science students inducted into National Honor Society

Forty outstanding political science students have been inducted member of the Florida Atlantic University chapter of Pi Sigma Alpha, the national political science honor society. The students were formally welcomed into the society by former U.S. Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell and FAU President Anthony Cataneo at a ceremony held recently on the Boca Raton campus.

In addition to the induction of new members, three students were presented annual academic scholarships by Dr. Anita Pritchard, chair of FAU's Department of Political Science. Graduate student Alfonso Monteferrante of Atlantis, who defended a master's degree thesis focusing on local government reform in England, was presented the Rae Raskin Award; senior

Melanie Feuerstein of Lake Worth, a Phi Kappa Phi scholar who has been active in student government and has volunteered for several community service programs, was given the Percy Greenberg Award; and junior Debra Lynch of Coral Springs, a mother and licensed foster parent who has worked tirelessly with community organizations that help youths and families, was presented the Jacqueline L. Becker Award.

Monteferrante also was inducted into the society.

The other new Pi Sigma Alpha members include, from Palm Beach County: Elwin Thibault, Elizabeth Scheer, Christine Small, Marta Breuer, Jennifer George, Anthony Gonzales, Kelly Wade, and Ari Fisher of Boca Raton; Kimberly Kostul of Boynton Beach; Venesia Brooks of Delray Beach; Sherri Renner of Jupiter; Kenneth Iantosca of Lantana; Maria Wise-Miller of Loxahatchee; Teresa Jabour of North Palm Beach; Shannon O'Meara of Palm Beach Gardens; Stephen Mozier of Palm Beach; William Mitchell of Royal Palm Beach; and James Williams of West Palm Beach.

From Broward County: Susan London of Cooper City; Benjamin Berman of Coral Springs; John Wilkerson of Davie; Lana Russ-Trent and Lisa Tannenbaum of Fort Lauderdale; Lisa Maria Giaramita of Hallandale; Nicole Smart, Sonya Montecino, Ana Casey, Odette Guillen of Hollywood; Marc Placide of North Lauderdale; Jayme Manzo and Tanya Sharpe of Oakland Park; Eileen White, Lisa Donaldson and Anna Picard Lewis of Plantation; and Luis Lopez Jr. of Sunrise. Other new members

include Rafael Velasquez of Miami Beach, Joseph Misere Jr. of Naples, Misty Lages of Port St. Lucie, and Joel Gearhardt of Vero Beach. Sen. Mitchell was at FAU for the second straight semester in the Tripp, Scott, Conklin & Smith Distinguished Visiting Professor, a chair created by the Fort Lauderdale law firm for which it is named. The popular Democrat from Maine served 14 years in the U.S. Senate, including six years as majority leader.

Noting that many of the students honored at the political science ceremony had expressed plans to attend law school, he encouraged them to consider public service.

"Helping those who need it most will bring about tremendous rewards, both personally and professionally," said Sen. Mitchell.

## Palm Tran hires Accessible Programs Manager/ADA Coordinator

Palm Tran, Palm Beach County's transit system, has hired Ron Brooks for the newly created position of Accessible Program Manager/ ADA Coordinator. Mr. Brooks' position was developed to fill the need of the ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) portion of the transit system's 30 million dollar expansion.

Mr. Brooks will be responsible for two main area: 1) to oversee SpecTran, the paratransit service of Palm Tran, and make sure all policy issues are addressed and 2) Maintain and improve Palm Tran's current fixed-route accessibility program.

Ron brings a wealth of personal and professional experience to his position. Born visually impaired, Ron is legally blind and uses a seeing eye dog, XYLO, for mobility. For most of his life, Ron has been almost totally dependent on public transportation. Even though he holds a B.A. in Liberal Arts, Ron's career path landed him in transportation, in part because of a personal need. His last position was the Paratransit Services Coordinator for BART (San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit) where he worked for three years. His greatest accomplishment, to date has been the development and implementation of seamless paratransit service over the San Francisco Bay bridge between three transit authorities, over three counties.

There are approximately 3,000 ADA eligible or transportation disadvantaged residents who are registered for transportation services in Palm Beach County. This includes individuals who are

elderly, disabled or have limited income. With the expansion of the new transit service, that number should increase considerably.

Ron's first goal after he starts

on June 3, will be to emerge himself in the community to learn, first hand, the pros and cons of the county's accessibility.

Living Cure, Palm Tran's Exec-

utive Director feels "Ron brings to Palm Tran a unique knowledge in addressing the mobility problems of those with impairments. His advocacy in the Bay are with

BART placed his awareness at both ends of the spectrum. He will be a unique and significant asset to public transit in Palm Beach County."

## Swedish Weight Loss Surprises Researchers

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## P.B.C. HIPPY program awards ceremony, to be held May 24

Palm Beach County Headstart and Children Services HIPPY (Home Instruction Program for Preschool Youngsters) would like to announce the HIPPY Class of 1996 graduation on May 24, 7 p.m., at the Pahokee Island Center, Pahokee.

The public is invited to come, bring your family and enjoy what has been planned for our HIPPY families. If you have any questions, feel free to contact HIPPY Coordinator Irma Woods at (407) 996-9708 or 996-9713.

## Military News:

**David**

Army Pvt. Renold David has graduated from basic military training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

David is the son of Lise Charles of 613 Avenue F, Belle Glade, and nephew of Rose-Marie Charles of 9220 Bisc Blvd., Miami Shores.

Pvt. David is a 1994 graduate of Linsey Hopkins Education Center School, Miami.

## Community Foundation gives area scholarships

The Community Foundation for Palm Beach and Martin County's Board of Directors approved 32 scholarships for a total of \$97,400. The scholarship funds were awarded through a competitive process based on each student's academic achievements, extracurricular activities, statement of personal aspirations and education needs. Awards ranged from \$500 to \$12,000.

Area students to receive scholarships were:

Daniel G. Mondragon, Pahokee High, General Scholarship for \$2,000; Shawnte M. Napier, Glades Central High, R. Bruce Jones Memorial Scholarship

for \$8,000; and Sabine Francher, Glades Central High, Stephen and Roberta Weiner Scholarship for \$3,000.

The Community Foundation for Palm Beach and Martin Counties, since being established in 1972, has been working to enhance the quality of life for all people in Palm Beach and Martin Counties. The Foundation provides a variety of arrangements through which citizens may donate gifts in any amount to meet changing needs in civic and cultural affairs, health and social services, education and economic development.



# A landscape fabric primer helps keep weeds at bay

Remember the days when the only possible way to battle weeds was with the help of a hoe? A tiresome, dirty task, the end only appeared near when summer was over, and the cooler weather of fall was approaching. Those days are fortunately long gone, as landscape fabrics are making life for the gardener easier than ever.

Weeds can become a worst nightmare, even for the experienced gardener. Imagine all the hard work and time spent toiling to produce the picture-perfect garden, only to have it bombarded by ugly weeds. Unpleasant to the eye, weeds kill a garden by blocking it and absorbing moisture that ultimately never reaches the plants. Landscape fabrics, however, work to promote the growth and stamina of garden plants, and they do this by prohibiting any kind of weed growth. Environmentally safe, extremely effective, and easy to use, landscape fabrics are proving to be the weed prevention of choice among gardeners.

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The first question one may ask is, how are landscape fabrics environmentally safe? To appreciate this answer, it's important to understand the workings of the fabric itself. A landscape fabric is a strong synthetic fabric with thousands of tiny "micro-funnels" molded into it, which allow air and water to pass through to the plant roots.

In the past, gardeners turned to regular black plastic bags to deter the growth of weeds, but this method backfired when garden plants were literally suffocated because the soil couldn't "breathe" through the plastic. Landscape fabrics, on the other hand, allow plants to receive air, water, and vital nutrients, while the growth of weeds below the fabric is stopped in their tracks.

The use of landscape fabrics is also a much safer route when compared to other weed preventatives, such as chemicals. Landscape fabrics do not entail the use of any substances that could cause harm to the environment, and their effectiveness equals or surpasses that of any yard and garden chemical. Besides being environmentally sound, landscape fabrics are safe to store around children and pets.

While landscape fabrics have been successful as a weed deterrent in the garden bed, they are useful in other areas as well.

These weed-prone areas include around trees, plants, shrubs, and even in potted plants. Once the landscape fabric has been applied, weeds won't stand a chance, even in such hard to reach areas. Besides utilizing fabrics for weed preventative purposes, they can also be installed when repair work is done on decks and patios.

The actual process of applying landscape fabric is quite simple, even if you're not a seasoned gardener. Start a weed-free garden by laying the fabric over a chosen area of garden soil. Distribute plants on top of the fabric the way the finished garden would look. Once the



**STOP WEEDS NOW** — Why yank weeds out one by one when landscape fabrics will do the job quickly, easily and without having to spend hours working in the garden? Landscape fabrics, such as WeedBlock from Easy Gardener, are simple to install and designed to deter weeds from appearing in a garden bed.

garden is plotted, cut holes or x's into the landscape fabric where the plants will grow, and simply plant them through the holes of the fabric.

Stopping weeds in a mature perennial garden is just as easy. Lay the fabric over the garden, and cut x's above the plants, so the fabric can be

pulled over them. Covering the material with a layer of mulch will further ensure the prevention of pesky weeds.

Halting the attack of weeds in the garden may have seemed like a merciless task in the past, but now, with the help of landscape fabrics, those worries are history. The garden

will not only look sharper, but fabrics relieve gardens from the aggravating task of ridding up weeds. Further, landscape fabrics allow work in the garden to be more efficient, giving every gardener a fair shot at having the most bountiful and beautiful garden in the neighborhood.

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Treating lawns and wooded areas with Sevin brand carbaryl insecticide can reduce the dangerous deer tick population by 95 percent.

Local bookstores now carry Dr. David Reuben's *Quick Weight Gain Program*, (Crown Publishers, Inc. \$23).

Aware of the increasing popularity of gardening, the fashion and fragrance manufacturer, Escada, has created a limited edition fragrance called *Jardin De Soleil* by Escada Margaretha Ley.

## Knowing Food Life Spans Can Help Avoid Illness

To avoid illness and maintain food freshness and flavor, keep your refrigerator between 35 F and 40 F, says Crafts. The following list of average life spans for certain foods, courtesy of Crafts, was obtained by calling the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Safety Hotline:

### Refrigerator life of foods:

Fresh cuts of beef and pork  
Ground beef, stew meats, chicken, organ meats and fresh sausage  
Eggs  
Cooked foods and leftovers, cooked meat, soup, and stew  
Fully cooked ham, lunch meats from the deli and opened packages  
Open packages of hot dogs, bacon and hard-cooked eggs  
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Never leave perishable foods out of the refrigerator for more than

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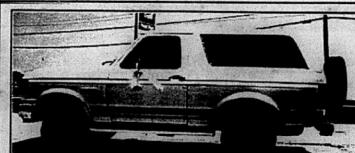
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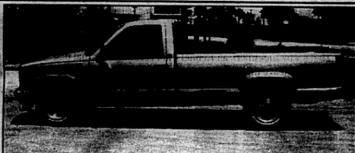
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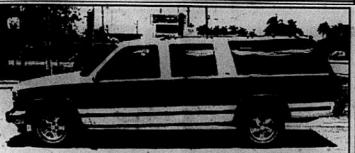
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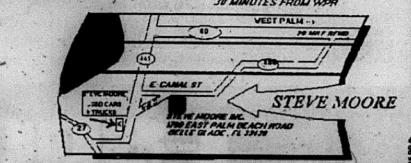
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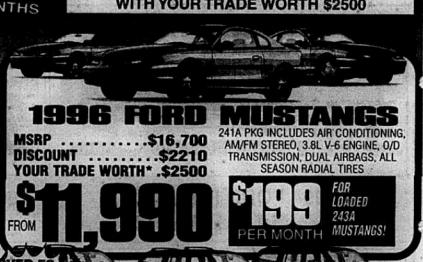
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